Health and Human Needs Committee Meeting Wednesday, July 22, 2009 3:00 P.M. Third Floor, City Hall

Present: CM Woolridge

Vice Chair: CM Welch Members: CM Benson

Absent: CM Hawkins (excused), CM Shanklin (excused)

Chairman Woolridge began the meeting by announcing the members of the committee that were present. A guorum was established.

## **Pending Legislation**

R-122-07-09 A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT AN \$11,869.00 GRANT FROM THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR HIV PREVENTION EDUCATION.

Status: In-Committee

Committee: Health & Human Needs

Primary Sponsor: Judy Green

Motion to approve made by Vicki Aubrey Welch and seconded by Stuart Benson.

**Discussion:** Betty Adkins, Public Health & Wellness, was present to speak to the item. The following was discussed:

- Federal pass through dollars
- Expand existing TYPE program
  - o Team Youth Program of Encouragement
  - Middle schools
  - Help to develop self-esteem, decision making skills and what a healthy relationship is
  - o Talk about sexually transmitted infections and transmission of such diseases
- This money will help to create 14 new groups with 10 youth in each, focusing on the male population

By voice vote, this item was sent to the Consent Calendar.

R-133-07-09 A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT A GRANT FROM THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA), CONNECTED TO THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT (STIMULUS), IN THE AMOUNT OF \$102,000 FOR RENT/MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO BE USED BY THE LOUISVILLE METRO DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND FAMILY SERVICES.

Status: In-Committee

**Committee:** Health & Human Needs **Primary Sponsor:** Mary C. Woolridge

Motion to Approve made by Vicki Aubrey Welch and seconded by Stuart Benson.

**Discussion:** Cassandara Miller, Human Services, was present to speak to the item. The following was discussed:

- Money from the Emergency Food and Shelter Program
- Allocated to the community ministries who do client intake
  - Money allocated among the ministries based upon the percent of poverty
    - CW Woolridge asked for a breakdown of the percentages
- Human Services then makes payments directly to the landlords and mortgage companies

By voice vote, this item was sent to the **Consent Calendar**.

Without objection, the meeting adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

\*NOTE: Items sent to the Consent Calendar or Old Business will be heard before the full Council at the Metro Council Meeting on July 30, 2009.

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